

CertAlert

CERTIFICATION ALERT

Connecticut Educator Certification News from
The Connecticut State Department of Education



Updated November 2011

IMPORTANT STATUTORY CHANGE IMPACTS EDUCATOR CERTIFICATION

A recent change to Connecticut educator statutes may have an important impact on the ability of some educators to advance from the provisional to the professional educator level of certification. Please note the following change and plan how you will maintain your educator certificates accordingly. If you have questions about the impact on your particular certificates and circumstances, please email teacher.cert@ct.gov.

On or after July 1, 2016, thirty semester hours of **graduate** coursework will be required to advance teaching certificates to the professional level. Undergraduate coursework will no longer be accepted. (See Public Act 09-1, Sec. 2.)

For more information please go to www.ct.gov/sde/cert and click on *Maintaining Connecticut Educator Certification*.



Connecticut
State
Department
of Education